

No. 3841,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Percy Morris L. St.
Residence 1211 Vermont Ave.
Date Aug 6. 1886.
Rec'd "

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Asks that no one be
allowed to remove her
crayon of Mr. Corcoran
from the Gallery.

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Rec'd Aug. 6.

Mr Wm M^cLeods

Dear Sir:

Will you
please see that no one
removes the crayon
drawing I made of
The Oiceran, from the
gallery?

I am leaving the
city for a time, and
place the drawing
under your especial
protection.

I am in hopes
it can be made a

gift & accepted as such
to the gallery-

Consequently - until
such time as you have
such orders from me.
let me take it
away.

Very truly yours
Louise Woodbridge Percy.

1210 Tremont Ave
August 6/86.

My further address is
20 E. 9th St
New York.

No. 3842

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Stevens B. F.

Residence London

Date June 23. July 16. 26. 1886.

Rec'd July 5. Aug: 9

Ack'g'd Aug 8,

Answered

SUBJECT.

About payment for
Periodicals

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WM: MACLEOD ESQ.,
CURATOR,
CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART,
WASHINGTON. D. C.

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B. H. Stevens,
4. Trafalgar Square,
London, 1886.

Recd Aug. 9

DEAR SIR,

26 JULY 1886

I HAVE THE PLEASURE TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE RECEIPT OF YOUR
LETTER OF THE 8TH INSTANT, AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR FURTHER REMIT-
-TANCE OF \$4.00, THROUGH MESSRS TICE & LYNCH, WHICH SETTLES YOUR
SUBSCRIPTION ACCOUNT TO THE 30TH JUNE LAST, AS YOU STATE.

I PRAY YOU WILL ACCEPT MY SINCERE APOLOGIES FOR HAVING
OMITTED TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE RECEIPT OF YOUR REMITTANCE OF \$4.00 TO
MESSRS TICE & LYNCH ON THE 24TH FEBRUARY, WHEN I WROTE ON THE 23RD
JUNE. I MUCH REGRET MY ERROR AND THE TROUBLE CAUSED YOU THEREBY.

ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE,

I AM, DEAR SIR,

YOURS FAITHFULLY,

B. H. Stevens
W. H. W.



WM. MAC LEOD ESQ,
CURATOR,
CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART,
WASHINGTON. D. C.

B. J. Stevens,
4. Trafalgar Square.
London. 188
W.C.

DEAR SIR,

23 JUNE 1886

I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR REMITTANCE OF \$3.00, THROUGH MESSRS
TICE & LYNCH, AND I THANK YOU.

I BEG TO SAY HOWEVER THAT THIS AMOUNT DOES NOT COVER
YOUR SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR MARCH, APRIL AND MAY, AS STATED BY MESSRS
TICE & LYNCH, AS YOU WILL SEE BY THE FOLLOWING MEMORANDUM: -

THREE MONTHS SUBSCRIPTION AT \$2.00 PER MONTH - \$6.00

AMOUNT NOW UNDER ACKNOWLEDGMENT

\$3.00

AMT. OVERPAID IN 1885 - - 2.00 \$5.00

AMOUNT STILL DUE - - - - - \$1.00

WILL YOU KINDLY INCLUDE THIS UNDERPAYMENT OF ONE DOLLAR
IN YOUR NEXT REMITTANCE, AND OBLIGE,

YOURS FAITHFULLY,

B. J. Stevens
W.C.

Rec'd July 5th
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POST CARD - GREAT BRITAIN & IRELAND



UNION POSTALE UNIVERSELLE

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Jul 26.

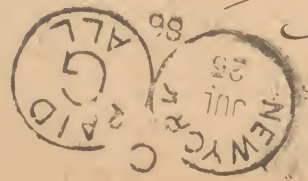
The Librarian

Corcoran Gallery of Art

Washington

D.C

United States



STEVENS'S AMERICAN LIBRARY AND LITERARY AGENCY,

4, TRAFALGAR SQUARE, CHARING CROSS, LONDON, ENGLAND.

16 July 1886

Dear Sir,

The Art Journal for July being a
double number and not charged in your
subscription, I should feel obliged if you
will remit $1/9$ ^{d or 43 cents} being the extra price of
same & postage, or with permission I will
stop one number from your subscription.

I am Sir,
Yours faithfully

B. F. Stevens

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No. 3843,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Stevens B. J.

Residence London

Date July 31. 1886

Rec'd Aug: 9 "

Ack'd

Answered

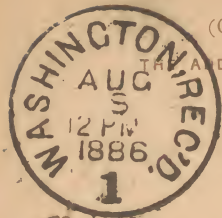
SUBJECT.

Has enclosed index
for Art Journal for 1885
in Aug number 1886

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UNION POSTALE UNIVERSELLE
POST CARD—GREAT BRITAIN & IRELAND
(GRANDE BRETAGNE ET IRLANDE)

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Mr. MacLeod Esq
Curator
Corcoran Gallery of Art
Washington
United States D.C.

STEVENS'S AMERICAN LIBRARY AND LITERARY AGENCY,

4, TRAFALGAR SQUARE, CHARING CROSS, LONDON, ENGLAND.

31 July. 1886

Dear Sir

Recd Aug 9.

In reply to your letter of June 23rd I
beg to say that I have enclosed the index
for Art Journal 1885. in August 1886 number.
which I trust will reach you safely.

Yours faithfully

B. F. Stevens

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No. 3844

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Knaus - Ludwig.

Residence Berlin

Date Aug: 9, 1886,

Rec'd

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

With regard to the
purchase of his picture
"A. Faust Home"

Packing &c.

V

Berlin, Aug. 26th 86.

J. H. Kauffmann
Chairman Committee on Works of Art
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir :

Your favor of Aug. 5th₂ reached me yesterday and I thank you heartily for your kind information. At the same time I received the letter you announce from Dr. James P. Welling, containing the official ratification of the purchase of my picture for the Porcoran Gallery. You will meantime have received my letter on this subject. I take it as

a great honor that my pictures
have for years been popular in
America, a land where there
exists more love and interest for
art than anywhere else; and I
hope that my newest work "the
Forester's Home" will confirm
the good opinion which the
American public has of me.
I have asked Dr. James C. Welling
to let me know his instructions
with respect to forwarding the
picture to Washington. The
Berlin Exhibition will be
closed on the 15th of October.

With great respect I have the
honor to be, Dear Sir,

Your obedient servant

Ludwig Knaut.

Berlin. 9. August 1886.

Hildebrand Str. Nr. 10.

An das Chaison Art Comitee, 2^{te} Galerie des
Galerie Kaufmann Washington.

Ihre ganzekne Gonne!

Morgen. Heute E. F. Andrews mit ihm. Mith.
maximal. Manier ~~mit~~ mitgespielt für die, in
in die Ausstellung der Corcoran Gallery 2^{te}
Washington, auf mein Bild "für die Kunstwerke"
beide, (gegenwärtig auf der für die Kunstwerke =
= Kunstausstellung 2^{te} Berlin) auf dem 2^{ten} Preis
gewonnen ist, auf die ich von Königen auf der
Reise des Kaiserthums. Dasselbe kann ich
mit von dem Hauptstamm der Corcoran Gallery
mein Bild zu dem Preise von Mark 45,000
anzukommen.

Ich habe sofort von München aus mein Langes
2. Kündigungs- und Befehlsgesuch, und bitte, daß diese
Kündigungs- und Befehlsgesuche sein wird.

Gestern bin ich wieder in Berlin eingetroffen,
und habe mich, bezüglich dem Chairen Art
Comitee meine Befreiung darüber einzuweisen,
daß mein Bild zu einem so hervorragenden Platz
wie die öffentliche Galerie in Washington seinen
Platz finden wird; ich bin sicher, daß das
Bild allen Erwartungen entsprechen wird und daß
das Comitee es nicht bedauern wird, das Bild
ohne vorhergehenden Befreiung anzunehmen zu
lassen.

Die Brückstellung wird möglicherweise bis Mitte
October sein, und ich bitte um eine gut.
Mittheilung, ob die Verwaltung der Corcoran-
Galerie vielleicht eine feste Summe beibringt.
Ich hoffe, daß die Verwaltung der Brück-
stellung

zu überführen, und für die Befreiung von
zu bringen. Alle Befreiungswörter sind
sicher, daß das Bild auf das vorgerückte
gebracht wird; falls es dem Comitee nicht
sein sollte, daß ich eine feste Summe beibringe,
so kann ich die Summe:

Rudolf Schuster (Hauptkredit)
Krausenstraße 34.
Berlin. S. W.

beim Aufstellen.

zu Verfügung einer geeigneten Anzahl
zu einem vorzüglichen Aufstellung

Ludwig Kraus. (Hauptkredit)

(Translation)
(Copy.)

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Hildebrandt Str. No. 10,

Berlin, Aug. 9, 1886.

Mr. Kauffmann,

Chairman Art Committee,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

After Mr. E. R. Andrews called my attention to the fact that he had informed the council of the Corcoran Art Gallery of Washington, D. C. of the presence of my picture "A Forest Home" (at present exhibited in Berlin at the Art Exhibition), I have lately received your telegram, while travelling.

Your telegram conveys to me the resolution of the Corcoran Art Gallery to purchase this picture for 45,000 marks. I re-telegraphed at once my consent from Munich, and hope that you received my answer.

I returned to Berlin yesterday, and hasten to inform the Chairman of the Art Committee how much I am delighted to have my picture occupy a place in such a prominent public Gallery in Washington, and am sure that the same will gratify all expectations, and that the Committee will never regret having purchased the painting without a previous personal inspection.

The Art Exhibition here will probably last until Oct. 15, and I request your kind advice whether the Corcoran Art Gallery will designate a Berlin firm to superintend the packing and forwarding of the picture after the closing of the fair. Most assuredly I will watch that the picture is properly packed; but should you desire me to name a firm for packing and forwarding I would most

respectfully name M. Rudolf Schuster, dealer in pictures and bric
a brac, Krausenstrasse No. 34, Berlin, S. W., as a most suitable
person.

Awaiting your kind reply, I remain, very respectfully,

Your obedient,

(signed) Ludwig Knaus, Prof.

No. 3845,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Sheehan J. B.

Residence Brooklyn

Date Aug 9, 1886

Rec'd " 10 "

Ack'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

For a Catalogue

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No 321 - 4th StBrooklyn ~~NY~~ ^{NY} ~~Aug. 16~~Recd ~~X~~ August 9th 1869

Custodian of Corcoran Gallery

Washington ~~DC~~

Dear Sir

If you have
 copies of your Catalogue
 to spare will you be
 so kind as to mail me
 one? for which I will
 be grateful and take
 pleasure in sending you
 its cost.

Yours truly, L. A. Sheehan

No. 3846,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Gale Miss M. J.

Residence Worcester Mass.

Date Aug 9, 1886

Rec'd " 11 "

Ack'd " 11 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Order for 2 Photos
with \$2 enclosed.

✓

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Aug 11/86

Worcester Aug 9 1886.

Enclosed is an order for two dollars. Will you kindly send by mail two of the seventy-five cent photographs? The large single figures of the "Fatal Inocula" and "Charlotte Corday". Please pack them between paste board and if I have not sent enough money for the purpose, let me know and I will send more. Please address Mrs. M. C. Cole.

15 Elizabeth Street.

Worcester. Mass.

No. 3847

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Graham Hartley,

Residence Louise Home

Date Aug 10. 1886.

Rec'd. " 11 "

Ack'd " 11 "

Answered.

SUBJECT.

Asks to have Crayon
portrait of M^{rs} Corcoran
sent to Louise Home.

✓

3847



Nothing but the address to be on this side.

Wm McLeod
Corcoran Real Estate
City

5 Read ^{to} The Lord's Prayer

Read & The Love Home
Aug 11
Wm. C. Davis's Oration

And by some one who will
hang it here? Respectfully

hang it here? Respectfully

Yours
21
Harley Graham

Hartley Graham

Louise Anne

10th August 1886

Council Home
 10th August 1886

No. 3848,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Lerrin & Sons

Residence Eric Penn:

Date Aug 9. 1886

Rec'd " 12 "

Ack'g'd " 12 "

Answered

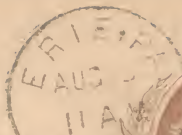
SUBJECT.

Price of Photos.

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POSTAL CARD

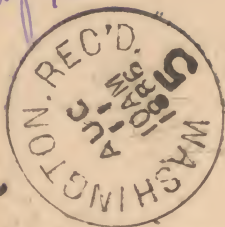
Nothing but the address to be on this side.



Mr. J. M. McKim
Washington
D.C.

3848

Aug 12/12/86



I have a small size
 photo. of the painting
 "The Little Lord" which
 is on exhibition in
 our gallery and has
 had a fine price of
 \$100.00. Make price lower
 if you wish to sell.
 I am a general
 dealer in fine art.

No. 3849,

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Wilcox A. M.

Residence Balt.

Date Aug 13. 1886.

Rec'd " 14 "

Ack'g'd " 14 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Asks for the address of
Jas A. Sullivan.

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*Recd & Ack'd
Aug. 14.*

318 N. EDEN ST., BALTIMORE, MD, AUG. 13TH, 1886.

MR. WM. MACLEOD, CURATOR,

DEAR SIR;

DR. UHLER OF THE PEABODY INSTITUTE HERE HAS REFERRED ME TO YOU FOR THE ADDRESS OF MR. JAS. A. SULLIVAN, THE VARNISHER OF CASTS AND ART OBJECTS. I WILL BE OBLIGED IF YOU WILL GIVE IT TO ME.

MAY I ASK WHETHER YOUR GALLERY IS OPEN THIS MONTH. I WANT TO COME DOWN AGAIN AND SEE IT.

VERY TRULY YOURS,

A. M. Wilcox,

PROF. OF GREEK, UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS.

No. 3850

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Williams Mary E.

Residence Salem Mass.

Date Aug 19 . 1886

Rec'd " 21 "

Ack'g'd " 26 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Sends photos of paintings
of interior of church
of St. Francis at Assisi.

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Rec'd Aug 21
Oct 12 26

186 Lafayette Street
Salem, Mass.

Aug. 19th 1886

Dear Mr. Wood,

Today I have sent
you some unsatisfactory photo-
graphs of the five of our pictures
of churches of which we have
the negatives, and I hope they
will give you some idea of the
subjects they represent. The two
larger mounted ones are taken
so dark that they do not give a
true idea of the soft and cheery
coloring of the originals, especially
the one taken from ^{near} the high altar
which we were very doubtful about
sending; and one of the upright
ones was taken too dark because
the distant chapel which should
come bright with a glowing light
being yellow takes too black to

give the proper effect - The other tall one, looking at the altar and stained glass window is really a very fair representation of the original; one is taken looking out of one of the side chapels across the church, into another chapel beyond the nave; the other is looking into the chapel at the altar and window. The other unmounted one gives a little vista through the side chapels, and the one with the man kneeling is one of the transepts, with frescoes by Giotto about 1300, and the upper ones by his pupil Taddeo Gaddi. They are all in the Church of St. Francis at Assisi - The great fresco over the high altar is also by Giotto, as well as the other three (which you can only see a part of two) which form the famous quartette of pictures which meet over the high altar.

We happen to have these photographs because there is an

photographer at Assisi who is glad to take any pictures, so we were glad to help him.

There is some talk of getting our studies for a college in New England, but I do not know what will come of it - It always takes time to arrange such matters, to have all the parties see them &c. but they are such an entirely new departure in art of the present day that they give a great deal of pleasure, and have attracted a good deal of notice -

I had not prepared the book when my friend took the photos into town for me today, but I will send it tomorrow.

Hoping to have the pleasure of seeing you before long

I remain

yours truly

Mary E. Williams